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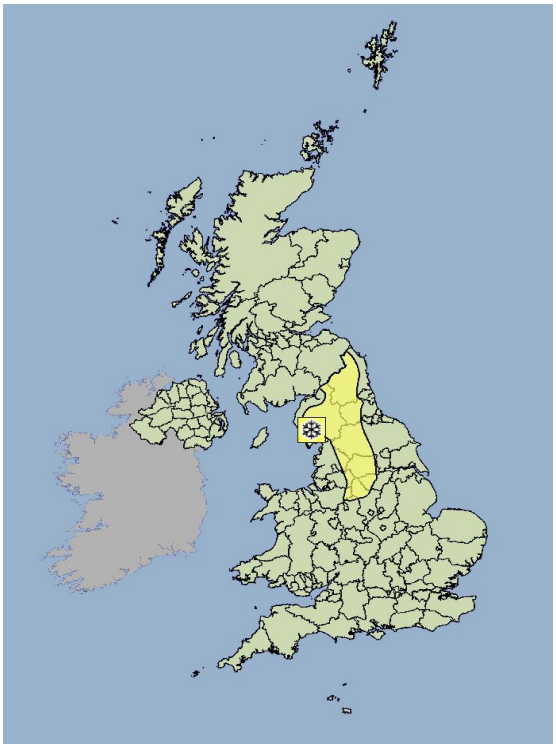

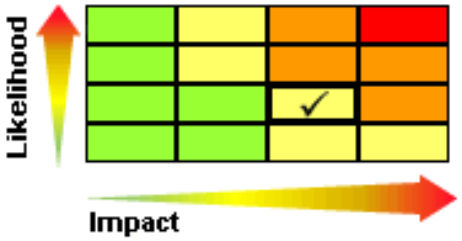

Chief Forecasters Assessment
As a weather system moves in from the south and comes up against cold air over the UK, rain has turned to heavy snow, mainly on hills. A further 5-10 cm of snow is expected to accumulate in places, mainly above 300-350 m, with a chance of 2-5 cm accumulating below this, mainly above 200 m. There is also the possibility of a couple of cm of wet snow to settle locally at lower levels for a time, before snow turns back to rain. Strong winds are also expected which will likely lead to some drifting of snow on the high ground.

The snow is likely to gradually turn to rain in the south during the day, and become confined to the higher ground in the north during the evening.
The warning area has been adjusted to remove some lower ground in the far south, whilst extending more into NE England.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **03:00 on Mon, 02nd Apr 2018** until **23:59 on Mon, 02nd Apr 2018**

Headline: Heavy snow is expected over parts of northern England, especially for high ground.
What To Expect: There is a chance of travel delays on roads with some stranded vehicles and passengers, along with delayed or cancelled rail and air travel.
There is a small chance that some rural communities could become cut off.
There is a chance that power cuts will occur and other services, such as mobile phone coverage, may be affected.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 11:00 on Thu, 29th Mar 2018

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